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FOR UNDER SECRETARY CASEY FROM AMBASSADOR

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SUBJECT: OECD OIL COMMITTEE HIGH LEVEL GROUP

REF: STATE 76682

1. WE HAVE NOW CHECKED OUT OUR INITIAL IMPRESSION WITH BRONDEL AND SOAMES CABINET IN ABSENCE SIMONET AND SPAAK. BOTH SOURCES AGREE THAT PRESIDENT' S MESSAGE AND COMMISSION PROPOSAL ARE IN HARMONY ON

NEED FOR COOPERATION. THIS WELL UNDERSTOOD AND WAS CENTRAL ELEMENT

IN COMMISSION DISCUSSION OF SIMONET PROPOSAL ENERGY DRAFT. IN THAT DISCUSSION SIMONET IS REPORTED BY BRONDEL TO HAVE SAID THAT PRESIDENT' S MESSAGE WAS A PARTIAL ANSWER TO HIS FOUR QUESTIONS. IN ADDITION, IT IS UNDERSTOOD THAT SPECIFICS CAN ONLY BE ADDRESSED DURING COMING CONSULTATIONS, PARTICULARLY SIMONET MEETINGS IN WASHINGTON. THEREFORE YOU CAN BE SURE THAT THERE IS NO FEELING HERE THAT US DESIRES MOVE ALONE. IF POINT NEEDED ANY BUTTRESSING, KISSINGER SPEECH HAS GIVEN ADDED EMPHASIS TO OUR DESIRE TO COOPERATE.

2. ON OECD MEETING SCHEDULE, BRONDEL STATED THAT IN HIS VIEW
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NEITHER US NOR COMMISSION WOULD BE READY FOR SERIOUS, DETAILED DISCUSSION BY MAY 8 AND THEREFORE HE PREFERS POSTPONEMENT TO JUNE 12. HE HAS BEEN IN TOUCH WITH WANSINK WHO SAYS HE WILL DECIDE FRIDAY AFTER FURTHER CONSULTATIONS. BRONDEL STRONGLY URGED THAT, IF METING NOT POSTPONED, US REPRESENTATIVE COME TO BRUSSELS ON THE WAY TO MAY 8 MEETING FOR ADVANCE CONSULTATION WITH COMMUNITY REPRESENTATIVE.
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